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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

application of

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Minoru FUJIMORI et al.

Docket No. 2001 0206A

Serial No. 09/816,391

Group Art Unit 1635

Filed March 26, 2001

Examiner Brian A. Whiteman

ANAEROBIC BACTERIUM AS A DRUG FOR CANCER GENE THERAPY

Confirmation No. 7242

THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME ARGE ANY DEFICIENCY IN THE

FEE FOR THIS PAPER TO DEPOSIT

ACCOUNT NO. 23-0975.

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Petition hereby is made for a second month extension of time to respond to the communication of January 2, 2003.

The fee of \$300.00 is

- (X) submitted herewith.
- () to be charged to Deposit Account No. 23-0975. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.
- () Small entity status of this application is established by a Small Entity Status Assertion which
  - () is enclosed.
  - () has been previously submitted.

Respectfully submitted,

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